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Invited to Dasara

Dasara Reception Committee led by DC Lakshmikanth Reddy extends formal invitation to Author Banu Mushtaq, who will inaugurate this year's Mysuru Dasara on Sept. 22

Yuva Sambhrama poster and promo song released; actor Yuva Rajkumar to be star attraction

Mysuru Deputy Commissioner G. Lakshmikanth Reddy presenting a memento to International Booker Prize winner, Kannada writer Banu Mushtaq, while extending an official invitation to inaugurate Dasara, at the latter's house in Hassan yesterday. Also seen are (from left) ***Additional DC Dr. P. Shivaraju, Chamundeshwari Temple Development Authority Secretary M.J. Roopa and Banu Mushtaq's husband Mohiyuddin Mushtaq.*** *Picture right:* ***DC Lakshmikanth Reddy officially inviting CM Siddaramaiah for Dasara, at the latter's Home Office 'Krishna' in Bengaluru this morning as Mysuru District in-Charge Minister Dr. H.C. Mahadevappa and Chief Secretary to the State Government Shalini Rajneesh look on.*** *[See reports inside]*

17 years on...

NICE Road land row is back !

Bengaluru, Sept. 4 (Agencies)- Home Minister Dr. G. Parameshwar yesterday revealed that the controversial NICE (Nandi Infrastructure Corridor Enterprises) Road project may have breached key legal provisions of the original framework agreement.

He strongly defended the State Government's move to form a Cabinet Sub-Committee to investigate the matter.

Addressing a press conference, Dr. Parameshwar said, "The agreement was meant to ensure transparency, but there may have been efforts to violate it in the past. These need to be thoroughly examined."

The State had allotted land to the project at concessional rates. However, several irregularities — including misuse of land, disputed toll collection agreements and incomplete construction — have now come under sharp scrutiny.

The NICE project, part of the Bengaluru-Mysuru Infrastructure Corridor (BMIC), conceived in the 1990s, aimed to establish a high-speed link between the two cities. The project was officially taken up in 2008.

The project was designed to create a 111-km high-speed corridor connecting Bengaluru and Mysuru. The plan also included five townships, a 41-km peripheral road and a 9.1-km link road.

Land acquisition

To make this possible, the Karnataka Industrial Areas Development Board (KIADB) issued notifications to acquire an astonishing 26,488 acres of land, far exceeding the originally required 2,700 acres.

Of the proposed 64-km toll road around Bengaluru, only 49-km has been completed. Plans for the five townships have been stalled, leaving large tracts of acquired land lying unused due to ongoing litigation and public opposition.

The State had allotted land to NICE at concessional rates, but the project now faces serious allegations of land misuse, disputed toll agreements and incomplete construction.

Dr. Parameshwar pointed out that despite years of work, only 42-km of the peripheral road has been completed, while another stretch — planned to be 9-km — remains stuck at just 5-km.

"The company repeatedly violated the agreement while blaming the Government for delays in land handover. The Sub-Committee will now thoroughly investigate every aspect of the project," Dr. Parameshwar asserted.

The Minister further revealed that the State is currently embroiled in over 300 Court cases related to the project, including 100 in the High Court and several pending before the Supreme Court.

As calls get louder to reclaim land, recover toll revenues and even scrap the project, the Cabinet Sub-Committee's findings are expected to play a crucial role in reshaping one of Karnataka's most contentious infrastructure projects.

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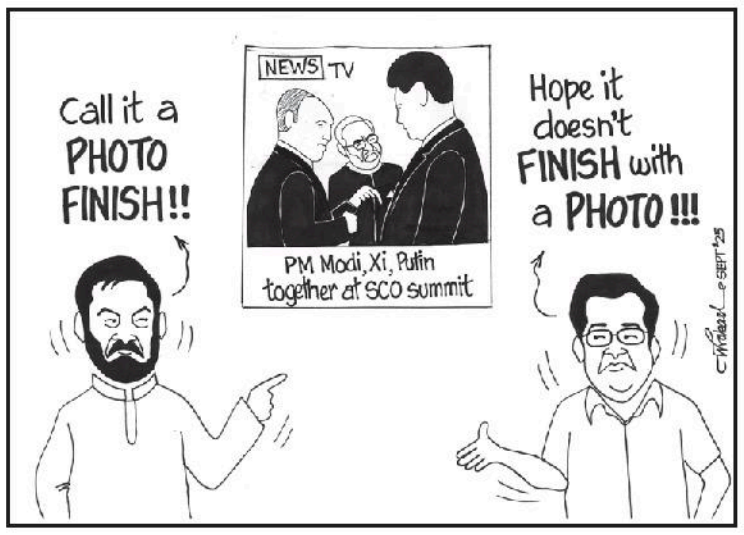
"We believe comment is free, but facts are sacred."

Editor: M. GOVINDE GOWDA, M.A.

Mysuru, Thursday 4th September 2025

TEASER

By N. Prakash



Sangeethotsava at Kalamandira on Sept. 9

Mysuru, Sept. 4 (GA&VNS) - A Sangeethotsava programme in memory of Mysore Palace Asthana Mridanga Vidwan M.R. Rajappa will be held on Sept. 9 at Kalamandira at 4.30 pm, said Dr. M.R. Hanumantharaju, son of Vid. M.R. Rajappa, here on Tuesday.

Addressing presspersons at Pathrakarthara Bhavan, he said Dr. M. Mohan Alva, Chairman, Alva's Education Foundation, will inaugurate the event.

Industrialist Dr. M. Jagannath Shenoy, Lahari Velu, Science Writer Prof. S. Ramprasad and Department of Kannada and Culture Assistant Director Dr. M.D. Sudharshan will be the guests.

The inaugural event will be followed by Nrithyotsava by Vidu. Dr. Kripa Phadke and group, Layanaada Taranga Sangeetha programme by Saraswathi Vadyavrinda and Naganandini Tenkuthittu Yakshagana show.

EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

ONAM AND THE TRUE KERALA STORY: ***Kerala indeed has a story to tell — a story that reflects the character, camaraderie and spirit of fellowship that permeates its social structure from time immemorial: the iconic festival of Onam. A celebration of the true Kerala story, Onam is an en-during tale of togetherness, interwoven with the nostalgia of a social order where all people lived in perfect harmony.***

The idea of Onam has, since ancient times, instilled in Malayalis' minds an intense longing for an egalitarian society, free from exploitation, greed, lies and deceit. That was a society united by shared values and a strong sense of belonging. This nostalgia has had a deep impact on Kerala's history, culture and politics...

Apart from celebrations at home, Onam has become a community festival. Many of its cultural expressions associated with Onam have moved to community spaces. This enables all sections to be part of the festival and to cement the social solidarity.

The week-long Onam celebrations organised by the State government have been an annual feature. Helmed by the Tourism Department, the festival showcases the best of Kerala's classical folk and ethnic art traditions in the State capital and scores of venues. The festival has become a major tourist attraction during the season, besides drawing local crowds to enjoy dance, songs and dramas for an entire week.

Onam has sustained Kerala's traditional art, craft and rural sports. The season marks the commencement of Kerala's snake-boat races. It all sums up the central message of Onam — social harmony and inclusivity, celebrated gracefully. *— P.A. Mohamed Riyas in The Hindu*

NEWS SPARKLERS

Parrot spots colours, earns World Record

Beijing: A precocious pet parrot earned a Guinness World Record for the fastest time to identify 10 colours.

Xiaogui, a pet belonging to Qin Feng in China, picked up coloured straw balls and placed them into bins of corresponding colours in 33.5 seconds, earning the title for the fastest time to identify 10 colours by a parrot. The parrot made one mistake during his attempt — placing a dark pink ball into a light pink container — but corrected the error in time to capture the record.

Feng, who adopted the parrot when it was just a baby in 2020, said Xiaogui showed an early love of playing with different coloured balls, so he decided to train his pet to sort the colours.

Long-lost time capsule found at school

New York: Custodians at a New York high school found a decades-old time capsule that had originally been intended to be opened in 2017.

The Smithtown Central School District said students at Smithtown West High School started assembling the time capsule in 1973 and it was finally completed in 1992.

The time capsule was supposed to have been opened in 2017, but it ended up lost and forgotten in a storage room until being discovered by custodial staff during summer break.

The capsule, a large plastic bin with a lid, contained artifacts including photos, a 1974 calendar, a 1987 banner proclaiming the school to be Newsday's 1987 school of the year for community service, a May 1992 lunch menu, pom-poms, a "student of the month" certificate and a VHS "video yearbook" from 1991-92. School's Principal Holl said the items will put on display so students can see the school's history.

HEALTH CAPSULE

Blood is your body's lifeline, carrying oxygen, nutrients, and immune cells. Keeping it healthy supports your overall well-being.

By Dr. Giripunja - Consultant – Haematology
Manipal Hospital, Mysuru

manipalhospitals LIFE'S ON

** Health Capsule is not intended to be of a diagnostic nature*

Eid Meelad processions

Mysuru, Sept. 4 (KS) - Dawat-e-Islami Mysore has organised Juloos Mohamadi Eid Meelad Procession as part of 1,500th birthday of Prophet Muhammad on Sept. 5 and 7 in city.

On Sept. 5, the procession will commence at 2.30 pm from Masjid Azam Markaz Ahala Sunnath-wal-Jamath on Ashoka Road, which will be flagged off by Sir Khazi of Mysuru Hazarath Moulana Mohammed Usman Shariff along with Ulmas, Arabic Madries students, after Fatha Khawni, Duwa (Supplications). The procession will pass through Sawday Road, Meena Bazar, Mission Hospital Circle, Eidgah Masjid Road and Pulikeshi Road to reach Muslim Burial Grounds where Fatha Khawni, Duwa and floral tributes will be offered. The procession will later continue via K.T. Street, Sunni Chowk, K.R. Park Road, Lashkar Mohalla and culminate at Masjid Azam Markaz Ahala Sunnath-wal-Jamath.

On Sept. 7 after Zohar Salath (Noon prayer) at 2 pm, the procession will start from Madrasa Faizan Kanzul Imam Masjid Ameer Hamza at Shanthinagar on Azeez Sait Road and pass via Masjid Shoudul Badar, Mohamadi Masjid, Al-Badar Circle, Rajivnagar, Nimrah Masjid Circle, Azeez Sait Nagar, Masjid Riyaz-ul-Janah, Kalyanagiri and Muslim Burial Ground Road, Ghousianagar and will return. For details, contact Nasir Khan Kushali on Mob: 99007-17020.

Meelad-un-Nabi gathering

The Central Meelad Committee has organised Meelad-un-Nabi under the Chairmanship of Sir Khazi of Mysuru tomorrow (Sept. 5) at Meelad Park after Maghrib Prayers at 7 pm. MLA and President of Central Meelad Committee Tanveer Sait will preside.

For details, contact Afroz Pasha on Mob: 93798-56537.

WATER LEVEL

KRS DAM	KABINI DAM	HARANGI DAM
Maximum **124.80 feet**	Maximum **2,284 feet**	Maximum **2,859 feet**
Today's level **124.00 feet**	Today's level **2,283.92 feet**	Today's level **2,858.47 feet**
Last year's level **124.44 feet**	Last year's level **2,283.69 feet**	Last year's level **2,858.52 feet**
Yesterday's level **124.04 feet**	Yesterday's level **2,283.97 feet**	Yesterday's level **2,858.56 feet**
Today's Inflow **18,025 cusecs**	Today's Inflow **18,693 cusecs**	Today's Inflow **5,672 cusecs**
Today's Outflow **18,461 cusecs**	Today's Outflow **18,942 cusecs**	Today's Outflow **6,000 cusecs**

REALLY...?

- *As Titanic sank, the bow (the front) went down first, causing the stern (the back) to rise out of the water and into the air. At around 2am, this tilt caused the ship to break in two, sending all those still on board into the freezing cold ocean.*

LAUGHTER THE BEST MEDICINE

Keshav: *Mummy, I got a 100 in school today.*
Mother: *That's really great!! What did you get a 100 for?*
Keshav: *I got 40 in Maths, 30 in Science and 30 in English!!*

TODAY'S CURRENCY RATE

1 US Dollar	= Rs. 88.15
1 UK Pound	= Rs. 118.30
1 UAE Dirham	= Rs. 24.00
1 Euro	= Rs. 102.67

VOICE OF THE READER

Install speed humps and traffic signal on Nelson Mandela Road

Sir,

I am writing to formally request immediate road safety measures on Nelson Mandela Road in Bannimantap, where the absence of proper traffic control mechanisms has made it extremely hazardous for pedestrians to cross the road.

Due to increasing vehicular speed and a lack of regulated crossing points, the area has witnessed numerous near-misses and several unfortunate accidents in recent weeks. Commuters, especially the elderly, school children, and daily workers, find it nearly impossible to cross safely.

We urge the authorities to consider installing speed humps to control speeding or erect a traffic signal or pedestrian crossing at key points along the road.

Such measures would go a long way in preventing further mishaps and ensuring the safety of both pedestrians and motorists. Hope the authorities concerned will look into this issue and take prompt action.

—Suryanarayana Reddy
Mysuru
21.8.2025

DC hails Newspaper Distributors' service

Mysuru, Sept. 4 (MTY&DM)- Deputy Commissioner (DC) G. Lakshmikanth Reddy inaugurated World Newspaper Day celebrations this morning by cutting a cake in front of the iconic Dufferin Clock Tower, opposite Devaraja Market.

The event was jointly organised by Karnataka State Newspaper Distributors Federation and the Newspaper Distributors Welfare Association, Mysuru.

Speaking on the occasion, DC Reddy lauded the invaluable service of newspaper distributors, who tirelessly deliver papers to people's doorsteps.

"The day for many begins with reading the newspaper. In this context, newspaper distributors play a vital role in society, braving rain, scorching sun and harsh weather to ensure timely delivery," he said, extending his best wishes to them.

City Police Commissioner Seema Latkar, in her address, highlighted how newspapers have retained their importance and relevance despite stiff challenges from social and electronic media. "Newspapers continue to hold the trust of readers because of their credibility and authenticity," she noted.

MCC Commissioner Shaikh Tanveer Asif praised the dedication of newspaper distributors, saying their work begins even before sunrise. Recalling the humble beginnings of former President Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam, who started his career as a newspaper distributor, he said, "Distributors serve society by delivering news from across the world to readers every single day."

Former Mysuru District Journalists Association (MDJA) President S.T. Ravikumar, Chief Reporter of *Star of Mysore* and *Mysuru Mithra*, recalled that during the recent State-level convention of newspaper distributors held in Mysuru, they presented their grievances to the Government. Expressing hope that their demands would be met, he wished them good health and a prosperous future.

The event was attended by Mysuru District Newspaper Distributors Welfare Association President J.S. Homadev, Vice-President M. Nagaraj, office-bearers C. Shivanna, S. Chinnaraju, C.D. Harish, R. Shivakumar, Srikanth, Directors P.K. Satish Babu, A.R. Prabhakar Rao, D. Hemanth Kumar, M. Shivalinga, N. Nanjundaiah, Mysuru Hotel Owners Credit Co-operative Society President Narayan V. Hegde, former MDJA General Secretary M. Subramanya, KUWJ State Committee Member B. Raghavendra, Rajyotsava Awardee distributor Javarappa and several others.

Senior newspaper distributors feted

Mysuru Hotel Owners Association President C. Narayanagowda felicitating senior newspaper distributors J.S. Homadev, Javarappa, Nagesh Kavyapriya, M.P. Gundappa and Srikanth during World Newspaper Day celebration held at KMPK Charitable Trust in Chamundipuram this morning. Others seen are Newspaper Distributors Association Secretary A. Ravi, KPCC Member Nazarbad Nataraj, G. Raghavendra, KMPK Trust President Vikram Iyengar, Mysuru District Congress Vice-President Ramesh Rayappa, S.N. Rajesh, Lokesh and Dinesh.

World Tourism Day

Mysuru Travels Association plans big matching Dasara splendour

Mysuru, Sept. 4 (BS)- Mysuru Travels Association (MTA) will celebrate World Tourism Day in city on Sept. 27, matching the grandeur of Mysuru Dasara, scheduled from Sept. 22.

In a press release, Chairman of World Tourism Day Committee Anil Raj has stated that following a good spell of rainfall this year, due to the blessings of Goddess Chamundeshwari, the State has prospered with the people living happily.

With the State Government deciding to celebrate Dasara on a grand scale, the MTA has also decided to celebrate World Tourism Day on a bigger scale.

As part of the celebrations, the tourists at Mysore Palace will be greeted with bouquet and sweets, in the accompaniment of Nadaswara artistes, followed by a programme in front of the Palace.

A Reception Committee comprising the President and office-bearers of MTA, Mysuru District Hotel Owners Association, other dignitaries and top officers of various Government departments, will be formed. A felicitation ceremony will be conducted, followed by a grand procession.

MMC&RI gets 50 more medical seats

Mysuru, Sept. 4 (RK&VNS)- The long-pending demand for sanctioning additional medical seats at Mysore Medical College and Research Institute (MMC&RI) has finally been fulfilled, with the National Medical Commission (NMC) approving the institute's request.

Following the NMC's approval, MMC&RI will receive 50 additional MBBS seats starting this academic year, increasing the total intake from 200 to 250 seats.

Speaking to *Star of Mysore*, MMC&RI Dean and Director Dr. K.R. Dakshayani said that the institute had submitted a proposal to the NMC two years ago, seeking an increase in seat allocation.

"The institute has adequate teaching and non-teaching staff, classrooms, laboratories, and other necessary infrastructure to accommodate the additional students," she said.

Dr. Dakshayani further noted that MMC&RI, which began with just 50 students, has grown to accommodate 200 students over the years. "We are well-prepared to admit more students if the State Government decides to further increase the intake in the future," she added.

It is noteworthy that the NMC has recently sanctioned 450 additional MBBS seats across eight medical colleges in Karnataka, including MMC&RI.

NEWS BRIEFS

Blood donation camp on Sept. 5

The Anathalaya will be conducting blood donation camp on Sept. 5 at Anathalaya premises on Narayana Shastri Road as part of Thathaiah Jayanti celebrations. Interested may contact Secretary of Anathalaya on Mob: 81520-76187.

Old age home for brahmins

Sandhya Suraksha Trust, Shakambari Dharmika Shraddha Kendra, Devaiahnahundi, Hunasemara Stop, Srirampura 2nd Stage, will be providing shelter and food to the aged Brahmin men and women. Those in need of the facility may contact the Trust on Mob: 80887-99540 or 88619-98817.

Annual General Body Meetings

Doctors Housing Co-operative Society, Mysuru, will be holding its Annual General Body Meeting (AGM) for the year 2024-25 at Doctors Community Hall on T. Narasipur Road in Alanahalli on Sept. 14 at 11 am. Society President Dr. N.P. Shivakumar will preside over the meeting.

Mysore Bank Colony Residents' Cultural & Welfare Association, SBM Colony, Srirampura II Stage, Mysuru, will hold its AGM on Sept. 20 at 11 am at Janani Janmabhoomi Trust Function Hall, Aravindanagar, Mysuru. The meeting will be presided over by Association President Arunakumar Shettar. The meeting will review its performance for the year 2024-25 and submit audited statements of account to its members, seek approval and also seek permission of the august body for appointing auditors for the next ensuing year. For details, contact Association Secretary K.V. Ramanath on Mob: 94489-79349.

Obituary

M.D. Nikhil

Mysuru, Sept. 4- M.D. Nikhil (35), a businessman and a resident of Vijayanagar 2nd Stage, passed away on Sept. 2 following a road accident.

He leaves behind his father Doddaiah (retd. Revenue Inspector), mother Hema Doddaiah, sister M.D. Namitha, wife Gayathri, daughter Aira and a host of relatives and friends.

Last rites were performed at the family's farmland in Kalisiddanahundi in Mysuru today.

Bonanza of GST rate cuts; Two-slab structure cleared

New GST rates will come into effect from Sept. 22

New Delhi, Sept. 4 (Agencies)- The Goods and Services Tax (GST) Council yesterday approved a complete overhaul of India's tax consumption tax since its launch in 2017, slashing duties on household essentials, medicines, small cars and appliances and affecting everything from toothpaste and insurance to tractors and cement. The Council approved the rate overhaul by limiting slabs to 5% and 18%, as the Centre seeks to boost domestic spending and cushion the economic blow of the US tariffs imposed on Indian goods.

The Council reduced the current four slabs — 5%, 12%, 18% and 28% — to the two-rate structure of 5% and 18%. A special 40% slab is, however, proposed for a select few items such as high-end cars, tobacco and cigarettes.

The new rates for all products, except pan masala, gutkha, cigarettes, chewing tobacco products like zarda, unmanufactured tobacco and beedi, will be effective from Sept. 22.

Prime Minister Narendra Modi said that the wide-ranging reforms will benefit the common man, farmers, MSMEs, middle-class, women and youth.

He described the move as one that would benefit farmers, MSMEs, the middle class, women and youth. In a post on social media platform X, he called it a step towards next-generation GST reforms. "During my Independence Day Speech, I had spoken about our intention to bring the Next-Generation reforms in GST. The Union Government had prepared a detailed proposal for broad-based GST rate rationalisation and process reforms, aimed at ease of living for the common man and strengthening the economy," PM Modi said.

What gets costlier?

Aerated, caffeinated drinks

1. Popular soft drinks like Coca-Cola & Pepsi, and other non-alcoholic beverages, will become costlier, with the Council approving a hike in tax rate on carbonated beverages to 40% from 28%.
2. Caffeinated beverages to be charged at 40% from 28%.
3. Other non-alcoholic beverages will also become costlier, as the GST rate on these items has been increased to 40% from 18%.
4. All goods (including aerated waters) with added sugar or other sweetening matter or flavoured are to be taxed at 40% from 28%.

Vehicles

1. All automobiles above 1,200 cc and longer than 4,000 mm, as well as motorcycles above 350 cc, yachts and aircraft for personal use, and racing cars will attract a 40% levy.

Tobacco items

1. Tobacco and tobacco-related products will continue to be subject to a 28% GST rate plus a compensation Cess till the time the loans taken to compensate States for loss in revenue during the COVID-19 pandemic are repaid. Once that ends, tobacco and tobacco-related products will be subject to a 40% GST rate.

Leisure activities

1. The 40% tax will also be levied on services by a race club, leasing or rental services, and casinos/gambling/horse racing/lottery/online money gaming.

What gets cheaper?

Food and beverage

1. All forms of chapati and paranthas will be charged nil tax, down from 5%.
2. Tax rate has also been slashed to nil from 5% on ultra-high temperature milk, chena or paneer, pizza bread and khakra.
3. Common use food items and beverages, ranging from butter and ghee to dry nuts, condensed milk, sausages and meat, sugar boiled confectionery, jam and fruit jellies, tender coconut water, namkeen, drinking water packed in 20-litre bottles, fruit pulp or fruit juice, beverages containing milk, ice cream, pastry and biscuits, corn flakes and cereals, and sugar confectionery, with a cut in tax rate to 5% from the current 18%.
4. GST on other fats and cheese has also been reduced to 5% from 12%.
5. Plant-based milk drinks will become cheaper with the GST rate being reduced to 5% from 18% earlier, while that of soya milk drinks has also been cut to 5% from 12%.

Household items

1. Items such as tooth powder, feeding bottles, tableware, kitchenware, umbrellas, utensils, bicycles, bamboo furniture and combs will see a rate cut from 12% to 5%.
2. Shampoo, talcum powder, toothpaste, toothbrushes, face powder, soap and hair oil, with a cut down to 5% from 18%.

Household appliances

1. Consumer electronics like ACs, dishwashers and TVs will be taxed at 18% from 28%.

Stationary items

1. Maps, charts, globes, pencils, sharpeners, crayons and pastels, exercise books, and notebooks will be charged at nil from 12%.
2. Erasers will be charged at nil from 5%.

Footwear and textiles

1. Footwear and textiles have seen GST cut from 12% to 5%.

Healthcare

1. Life-saving drugs, health-related products, and some medical devices have seen rate cuts from 12% /18% to 5% or nil.
2. The rate on thermometers has been slashed from 18% to 5%, on medical grade oxygen, all diagnostic kits and reagents, glucometers and test strips and corrective spectacles from 12% to 5%.

Insurance and policies

1. Individual life and health insurance policies to attract nil tax.
2. Supply of service of third-party insurance of goods carriage will now attract 5% with Input Tax Credit (ITC) from 12% with ITC.

Hotel tariffs and flights

1. The GST has been lowered from 12% with ITC to 5% without ITC. The tax on rooms up to Rs. 7,500 has been reduced to 5%.
2. Economy class tickets to attract just 5% GST.

Vehicles, auto components

1. Motorcycles up to 350 cc will be taxed at 18%, as against 28% currently.
2. Small hybrid cars will also benefit, while EVs will continue to be charged at 5%.
3. GST on auto components has been reduced to 18% from the current 28% slab.

Fuel usage

1. Petrol, LPG and CNG vehicles of less than 1,200 cc and not more than 4,000 mm length and diesel vehicles of up to 1,500 cc and 4,000 mm length, too, would move to 18% rate from 28%.

Construction

1. Cement will cost less with the tax rate coming down from 28% to 18%.

Sewing machines and parts

1. GST rate has been slashed from 12% to 5%

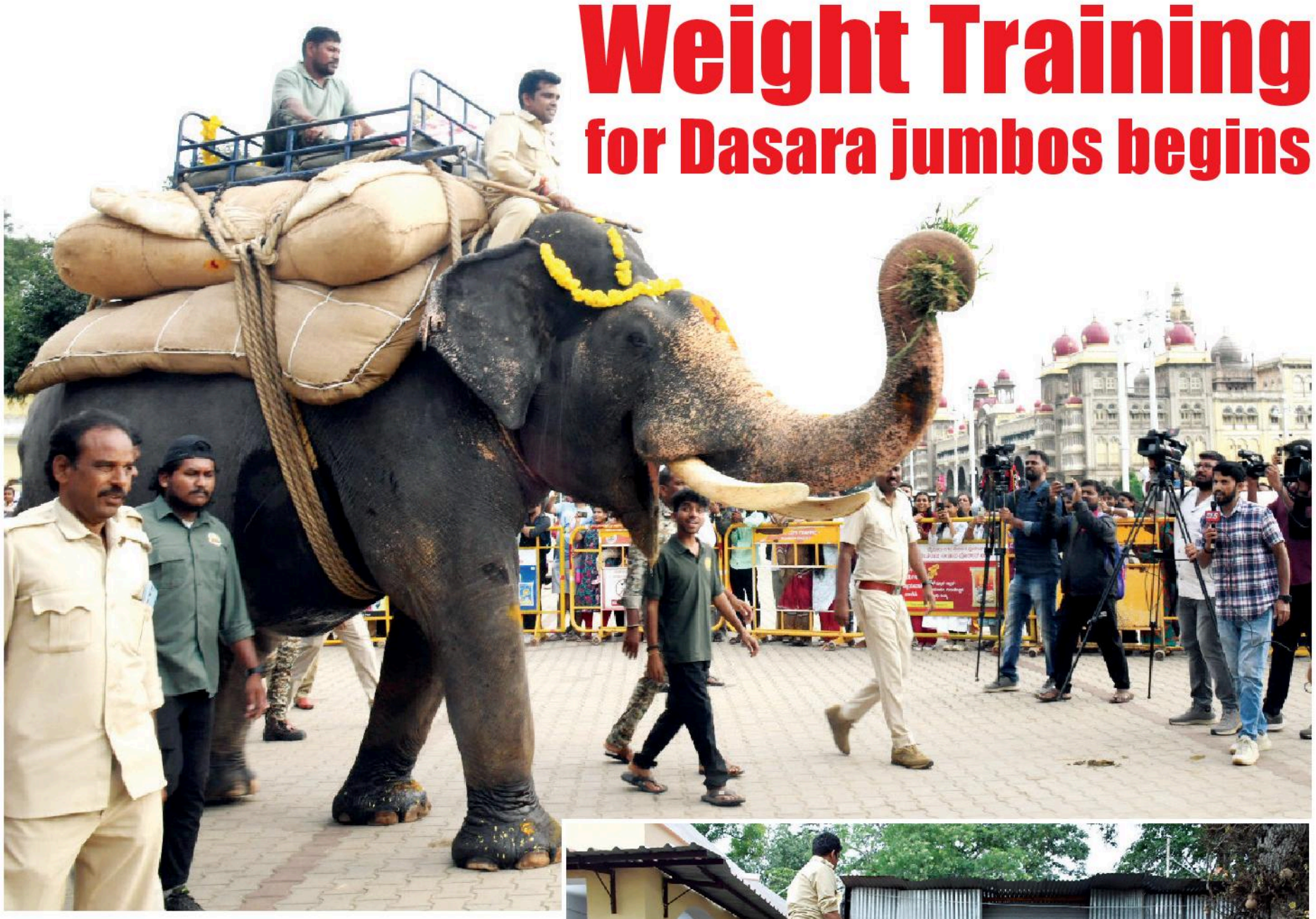
Agricultural machinery

1. The rate has been slashed from 12% to 5% on fixed speed diesel engines of power not exceeding 15HP, hand pumps, nozzles for drip irrigation equipment and sprinklers, agricultural and horticultural machinery for soil preparation, harvesting & threshing machinery, composting machines and tractors (except road tractors for semi-trailers of engine capacity more than 1800 cc).
2. The rate will also apply to self-loading agricultural trailers and hand-propelled vehicles like hand carts.
3. GST on key fertiliser inputs, including sulphuric acid, nitric acid and ammonia, has been reduced from 18% to 5%.
4. Various biopesticides including Bacillus thuringiensis variants, Trichoderma viride, Trichoderma harzianum, Pseudomonas fluoresens, Beauveria bassiana, NPV of Helicoverpa armigera, NPV of Spodoptera litura, neem-based pesticides and Cymbopogan to get cheaper as GST has been reduced from 12% to 5%.
5. GST reduced to 5% on micro-nutrients covered under Fertiliser Control Order, 1985.
6. Comprehensive tractor components, including rear tractor tyres and tubes, agricultural diesel engines of cylinder capacity exceeding 250 cc for tractors, hydraulic pumps for tractors, and various tractor parts such as rear wheel rim, centre housing, transmission housing, front axle support, bumpers, brake assembly, gear boxes, trans-axles, radiator assembly and cooling system parts, to get cheaper with a reduction from 18% to 5%.

Beauty and physical well-being services

1. Services of health clubs, salons, barbers, fitness centres, yoga, etc., will attract a GST rate of 5% without ITC. These services attracted 18% GST earlier.

Weight Training for Dasara jumbos begins



Captain Abhimanyu carries 500 kgs on the first day

Mysuru, Sept. 4 (PM&KS)- Training for the Dasara elephants to carry weight ahead of the *Jumboo Savari* began yesterday, with Golden Howdah carrier Captain Abhimanyu and Kumki elephants Hemavathi and Kaveri leading the exercise.

Captain Abhimanyu, who has carried the 750-kg Golden Howdah five times in the past, will be taking on the honour for the sixth time this year.

For the training session, a *Gaadi-Namda* weighing 200 kg and a cradle-like metal structure containing 300 kg of sandbags were secured on Abhimanyu's back. *Gaadi-Namdas* were also placed on Hemavathi and Kaveri to familiarise them with the load.

Later, 13 Dasara elephants were led out of the Palace premises through the Balarama Gate, near Kote Anjaneyaswamy Temple and marched along the traditional *Jumboo Savari* route, passing Chamaraja Circle, K.R. Circle, Sayyaji Rao Road, Government Ayurveda Hospital Circle, New Sayyaji Rao Road, Old RMC Circle, Bamboo Bazar, Maulana Abul Kalam Circle (Highway Circle) and Nelson Mandela Road to reach the Torchlight Parade Grounds in Bannimantap.

Out of the total 14 elephants, Gopi was given rest and did not participate. The jumbos returned to the Palace along the same route.

As the elephants walked majestically, crowds, including many children, lined up along the route to watch and click photos of their favourite jumbos. The public was delighted as the elephants responded by raising their trunks whenever their names were called.

Bhima removes barricade

A light-hearted moment occurred when elephant Bhima showcased his wisdom. While being led behind Captain Abhimanyu, Bhima's mahout, Gunda, noticed a barricade blocking the exit and asked the Forest staff to remove it.

However, Bhima didn't wait — he moved the barricade himself and stepped out confidently to join the squad, drawing cheers from the crowd.

Deputy Conservator of Forests (DCF) Dr. I.B. Prabhugowda said that weight training would soon be extended to Dhananjaya, Mahendra, Bhima, and Prashantha, in addition to Captain Abhimanyu. The session was supervised by Range Forest Officer (RFO) Syed Nadeem, Veterinarian Dr. Adarsh, and elephant caretakers Rangaraju and Akram, among others.

Gaadi-Namda, ***a cushion-like material being secured on the back of Captain Abhimanyu.***

Forest staff along with mahouts and kavadis placing sand bags on Abhimanyu as part of weight training exercise which began last evening.

DECODING MYTHOLOGY

Dr. Devdutt Pattanaik - Author, Speaker, Illustrator, Mythologist

Hail the Fire Goddesses

As per popular understanding, Ram asks Sita to go through the fire-trial to prove her chastity. But in the early versions of the Sanskrit epic it is not so. After killing Ravana and releasing Sita, Ram refuses to accept her as queen stating her reputation is soiled and so she cannot be his queen. She is free to go wherever she wishes, marry whoever she wants.

Sita is understandably appalled and orders Lakshman to collect wood and light a pyre. She walks in. But is rescued by Agni, the god of fire, who declares her chastity. Some scholars believe this story to be an interpolation. For when Sita returns, the gossip happens nevertheless.

A similar story of chaste wives being questioned for their faithfulness and being neglected by husbands, is also found in Buddhist Shambula Jataka. In Shiva Purana, Sati is a Brahmin's daughter, who is upset that her father insults her mendicant ash-smeared husband and so she jumps into the Vedic fire altar and kills herself. In some versions of the story, she becomes the offering that is otherwise denied to Shiva. In others, Agni refuses to burn her so she creates her own fire to burn herself.

In Mahabharata, we are told that when Krishna dies, Rukmini and Jambavati, along with other junior wives, perform sati, while Satyabhama takes refuge in the forest as an ascetic. This is an obvious interpolation because the Kaurava widows do not commit sati. In folk narrations from Tamil Nadu, Draupadi after the war walks through fire to purify herself and prove her purity. She invites Kaurava widows to do the same. They are burnt alive and join their husbands in paradise.

The popular story of Madri committing sati is also a later invention. The epic has two versions of Madri's tale. In one, the later one, she commits sati out of guilt that her husband, Pandu, died when he touched her erotically, thus succumbing to a curse. In the earlier one, both die when Pandu touches her. They are both cremated by the orphan Pandavas.

It is a known fact that Vedic literature has absolutely no reference to the practice of burning widows. This practice started appearing in India roughly around 500 AD. The practice started to wane after the arrival of British rule, following fierce condemnation by social reformers and new laws. By Indian law, any glamorisation of the practice of sati — widow burning — is prohibited. While some have argued that these sati practices were a means by which women protected themselves from being violated by invaders, the fact remains that sati stones began to appear in almost every corner of India, at least five centuries before the rise of the Islamic period of India.

When one reads medieval folk epics, especially regional epics of warrior communities composed around the 15th century AD, one finds a great deal of valorisation of women who burn themselves on their husbands' funeral pyres. Rajput epics like Alha Udal inform us how Prithviraj Chauhan's daughter, Bela, performs sati after her husband, Brahmanand, is killed in battle. In one version, nobody wants to light the fire — people do not want her to burn herself alive and refuse to offer fire to the pile of wood. So, she creates her fire by unbinding her hair.

According to 19th-century records of colonial administrators, Holi was celebrated in the Bundelkhand area to remind the world of how Sita survived the *Agni Pariksha* (trial by fire). The fire is burned on the previous night to commemorate the *Agni Pariksha* and the next day, people celebrate with water and colours because she successfully survived the fire trial.

In another folklore, we are told that Mandodari approached Ram and he blessed her, saying she would never become a widow. He did not realise that he was blessing the wife of Ravana, whom he had just killed in war. According to belief, a woman is not considered a widow until her husband has been fully cremated. Therefore, Ram instructed Hanuman to keep throwing wood into Ravana's funeral pyre for all eternity so that it would continue burning and Mandodari would never be declared a widow. This version is largely unknown today. In fact, according to the Valmiki Ramayana, Mandodari married Vibhishana, who became the king of Lanka, a detail rarely told in modern re-tellings of the tale.

The oldest versions of the Ramayana have absolutely no references to sati. However, around the 14th century, the Telugu Ramayana refers to Indrajit's wife, Sulochana (also known as Pramila in Marathi versions).

She travels from Lanka, approaches Ram and begs him to return her husband's head so that she can cremate him and die alongside him, burning herself on his pyre. This story of Sulochana is immortalised in Michael Madhusudan Dutt's work, Meghnad Badh Kavya and is also one of the earliest stories of sati depicted in Indian cinema.

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Congress takes out Dharmasthala Yatra

Mysuru, Sept. 4 (MK & DM)- Days after the Opposition BJP and JD(S) took out separate Yatras to Dharmasthala in Dakshina Kannada district, in support of the famed Hindu shrine, the Chamaraja Constituency of the City Congress took out a Yatra to Dharmashtala yesterday.

N.R. MLA Tanveer Sait flagged off the Yatra in front of Kote Anjaneyaswamy temple.

Speaking on the occasion, Sait said the Congress is taking out the Yatra with the sole aim of telling the truth to public on the Dharmasthala row. Stating that Hindus and Muslims are living in peace and harmony in city, Sait contended that there should be no politics in this regard.

Accusing the BJP of trying to create disturbances in society through false propaganda, he said that no one should hurt the religious sentiments of crores of Dharmasthala devotees.

Asserting that the Congress Yatra is not a political one, he maintained that this Yatra would have no effect on the ongoing investigation being conducted by SIT in connection with the alleged 'mass burials' at Dharmasthala.

Thousands of devotees left for Dharmasthala in over 20 buses and 50 cars after the launch of Yatra yesterday, led by Chamaraja MLA K. Harishgowda.

Zoo gets new Executive Director

P. Anusha

Mysuru, Sept. 4 (MTY&BCT)- Deputy Conservator of Forests (DCF) P. Anusha (State Forest Service) has been appointed as the new Executive Director (ED) of Sri Chamarajendra Zoological Gardens (Mysuru Zoo), a post that had remained vacant for over a month.

Previously, the Executive Director of Bannerghatta Biological Park had been holding an additional charge of the Mysuru Zoo. Anusha, who earlier served as the Executive Director of Jungle Lodges and Resorts (JLR), has now officially taken over the leadership of the Mysuru Zoo.

Obituary

D.S. Nagendra

Mysuru, Sept. 4- D.S. Nagendra (68), a newspaper distributor and a resident of Bogadi 2nd Stage passed away this afternoon in city. He leaves behind his wife, two sons and a host of relatives and friends.

Last rites will be held at 5 pm today at the foot of Chamundi Hill.

Dasara Yuva Sambhrama at Open Air Theatre from Sept. 10

Actor Yuva Rajkumar this year's star attraction

District Minister Dr. H.C. Mahadevappa (centre) releasing Dasara Yuva Sambhrama poster at his official residence in Bengaluru this morning. Others seen are (from left) MCC Deputy Commissioner (Admin) J.S. Somashekar, MCC Zonal Commissioner (Zone 6) M.S. Prathiba, City Police Commissioner Seema Latkar, MCC Commissioner Shaikh Tanveer Asif, DC G. Lakshmikanth Reddy, SP N. Vishnuvardhana, ZP CEO S. Ukesh Kumar and Additional DC Dr. P. Shivaraju.

Yuva Sambhrama Sub Committee Working President Ashappa (extreme right) extending an invitation to actor Yuva Rajkumar for Yuva Sambhrama-2025 at a private hotel in Mysuru recently. Others seen are (from left) MCC Zonal Commissioner (Zone 6) M.S. Prathiba and Sub-Committee Co-ordinator Dr. R. Ningaraju.

Mysuru, Sept. 4 (PM&VNS)- Dasara is back and so is the electrifying Yuva Sambhrama, where college students showcase their talent through vibrant dance performances, much to the delight of a large audience, especially youngsters from colleges across Mysuru and nearby districts.

This morning, Social Welfare and District In-charge Minister Dr. H.C. Mahadevappa released the posters of Dasara Yuva Sambhrama – 2025 at his official residence in Bengaluru in presence of the Dasara Special Officer and Mysuru DC G. Lakshmikanth Reddy, Additional DC Dr. P. Shivaraju, City Police Commissioner Seema Latkar, SP N. Vishnuvardhana, MCC Commissioner Shaikh Tanveer Asif and MCC Deputy Commissioner (Admin) J.S. Somashekar among other officials.

This year, the event will be held from Sept. 10 to Sept. 17 at the Open Air Theatre, Manasagangothri, between 5 pm and 10 pm every day.

The Yuva Sambhrama Sub-Committee has announced 14 diverse themes for the performances. These include: Achievements of Group Captain Shubhanshu Shukla, the first ISRO astronaut to visit the International Space Station, Chandrayaan-3, contributions of Mysore royal family, patriotism and freedom struggle, Operation Sindoor, Mysuru Dasara, Karnataka's folk culture and modern dance, among others.

Around 450-500 students are expected to take part in this eight-day cultural extravaganza. Each participating team will consist of 30-40 members and will get 5-6 minutes to perform on stage.

The District Administration has banned the display of posters or banners featuring individuals accused in criminal cases. Teams have been strictly instructed not to include photographs or visuals of such personalities in their performances.

Promo song released

The Mysuru district administration this morning also released the promotional song for this year's Yuva Sambhrama sung by Vijay Prakash. The song written by Somashekar Jigani and Manoj Sougandh is composed by Neethu Ninaad.

Invitation to actor Yuva Rajkumar

Every year, a popular Kannada film actor will be invited for the inauguration and this year, actor Yuva Rajkumar will be the star attraction.

The committee, led by Mysuru Assistant Commissioner and Working President Ashappa, MCC Zonal Officer M.S. Pratibha and Sub-Committee Coordinator Dr. R. Ningaraju, formally invited the actor during his recent visit to Mysuru.

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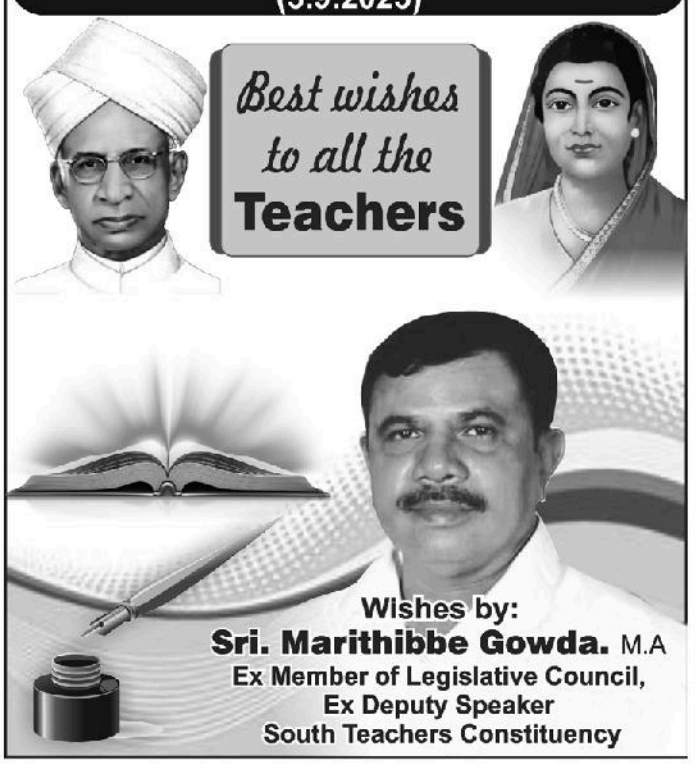

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Sd/- **Lakshmi**

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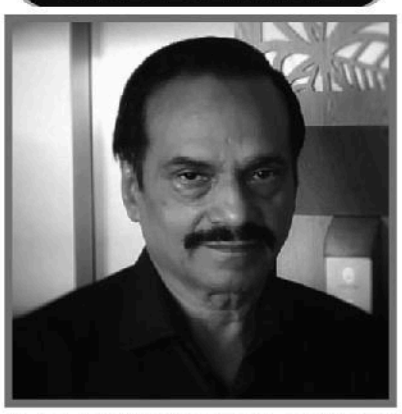


Sri. C A VASUDEVA GUPTHA
Retired Executive Engineer KEB, Mysore
Director Mannars Building Complex Pvt. Limited
Mahesh Enterprises, Dollarshop

With profound grief and sorrow we mourn the Sad Demise of Sri. C A Vasudeva Guptha, who brought out the best in all of us who left us for his heavenly abode on 03-09-2025 at 9.15am.

Deeply mourned by
MANNARS FAMILY

MYSORE TRAIN TIMINGS

FROM MYSURU RAILWAY STATION TOWARDS KSR BENGALURU

Train No.	From Station	To Station	Mysuru Departure	Bengaluru Arrival	Days of Service
16586	Murudeshwar	KSR Bengaluru	3.45 am	6.15 am	Daily
16217	Mysuru	Shirdi	5.00 am	7.30 am	Monday
12610	Mysuru	Chennai	5.15 am	7.55 am	Daily
17326	Mysuru	Belagavi	5.40 am	8.40 am	Daily
20663	Mysuru	MGR Chennai	6.00 am	7.45 am	Daily Except Thur Vande Bharat
66554	Mysuru	Bengaluru	6.10 am	9.15 am	Daily
16215	Mysuru	Bengaluru	6.45 am	9.35 am	Daily
22687	Mysuru	Varanasi	7.30 am	9.55 am	Tue & Thu
20623	Mysuru	KSR Bengaluru	8.20 am	10.50 am	Daily
56281	Chamarajanagara	KSR Bengaluru	9.05 am	1.05 pm	Daily Passenger
19668	Mysuru	Udaipur	10.05 am	12.15 pm	Thu [Humsafar Exp]
12975	Mysuru	Jaipur	10.30 am	12.45 pm	Thu & Sat
12578	Mysuru	Darbhanga	10.30 am	1.35 pm	Friday
12613	Mysuru	KSR Bengaluru	11.30 am	2.00 pm	Daily
16315	Mysuru	Kochuveli	12.45 pm	4.25 pm	Daily
20608	Mysuru	MGR Chennai	1.05 pm	2.45 pm	Daily Except Wed Vande Bharat
17307	Mysuru	Bagalkot	1.25 pm	4.30 pm	Daily
66552	Mysuru	KSR Bengaluru	1.45 pm	5.00 pm	Daily Passenger
12008	Mysuru	MGR Chennai	2.15 pm	4.10 pm	Daily Except Thur
20659	Mysuru	KSR Bengaluru	2.50 pm	5.20 pm	Daily
12786	Mysuru	Kacheguda	3.15 pm	5.45 pm	Daily
16535	Mysuru	Pandharpur	3.45 pm	6.25 pm	Daily
16232	Mysuru	Mayiladuturai	4.15 pm	6.50 pm	Daily
16219	Chamarajanagar	Tirupati	5.10 pm	8.10 pm	Daily
16236	Mysuru	Tuticorin	6.20 pm	9.00 pm	Daily
06237	Mysuru	Manamadurai	6.35 pm	9.15 pm	Mon
16592	Mysuru	Hubballi	6.50 pm	9.40 pm	Daily
16210	Mysuru	Ajmer	7.10 pm	10.10 pm	Tue & Thu
16227	Mysuru	Talguppa	7.30 pm	10.30 pm	Daily
06526	Mysuru	KSR Bengaluru	7.50 pm	11.05 pm	Daily
22681	Mysuru	Chennai	8.15 pm	10.50 pm	Wednesday
16022	Mysuru	Chennai	9.00 pm	11.45 pm	Daily
06269	Mysuru	SMVT Baiyyappanahalli	9.50 pm	12.40 am	Daily
66580	Mysuru	KSR Bengaluru	10.25 pm	1.15 am	Daily
22135	Mysuru	Renigunta	11.10 pm	1.30 am	Friday
22818	Mysuru	Howrah	11.45 pm	1.55 am	Sunday

DEPARTING FROM KSR BENGALURU AND ARRIVING MYSURU

Train No.	From Station	To Station	Bengaluru Departure	Mysuru Arrival	Days of Service from Bengaluru
06270	SMVT Baiyyappanahalli	Mysuru	12.15 am	4.30 am	Daily
16218	Shirdi	Mysuru	12.55 am	3.35 am	Thursday
22817	Howrah	Mysuru	1.55 am	3.35 am	Sunday
66579	KSR Bengaluru	Mysuru	2.05 am	5.30 am	Daily Passenger
16021	Chennai	Mysuru	4.00 am	6.45 am	Daily
16220	Tirupati	Chamarajanagar	4.30 am	7.10 am	Daily
16228	Talguppa	Mysuru	5.05 am	8.20 am	Daily
22682	Chennai	Mysuru	5.20 am	7.45 am	Friday
16231	Mayiladuturai	Mysuru	5.40 am	8.35 am	Daily
16591	Hubballi	Mysuru	6.00 am	8.55 am	Daily
16235	Tuticorin	Mysuru	6.15 am	9.30 am	Daily
12785	Kacheguda	Mysuru	6.30 am	10.20 am	Daily
16536	Solapur	Mysuru	7.50 am	10.45 am	Daily
17308	Bagalkot	Mysuru	8.10 am	12.00 pm	Daily
16316	Kochuveli	Mysuru	8.30 am	11.15 am	Daily
66551	KSR Bengaluru	Mysuru	9.15 am	1.30 pm	Daily Passenger
20607	MGR Chennai	Mysuru	10.05 am	12.20 pm	Daily Except Wed Vande Bharat
12007	MGR Chennai	Mysuru	10.35 am	1.00 pm	Daily Except Thur
20660	KSR Bengaluru	Mysuru	11.30 am	2.00 pm	Daily
12976	Jaipur	Mysuru	1.00 pm	4.00 pm	Wed & Fri
19667	Udaipur	Mysuru	1.25 pm	4.40 pm	Wed [Humsafar Exp]
20624	KSR Bengaluru	Mysuru	1.50 pm	4.20 pm	Daily
12614	KSR Bengaluru	Mysuru	3.15 pm	5.35 pm	Daily
06525	KSR Bengaluru	Mysuru	4.45 pm	7.40 pm	Daily Passenger
56282	KSR Bengaluru	Chamarajanagar	3.35 pm	6.35 pm	Daily Passenger
12577	Darbhanga	Mysuru	5.00 pm	8.00 pm	Thursday
17325	Belagavi	Mysuru	5.35 pm	8.45 pm	Daily
16216	KSR Bengaluru	Mysuru	6.15 pm	9.05 pm	Daily
22688	Varanasi	Mysuru	6.30 pm	10.00 pm	Mon & Sat
66553	KSR Bengaluru	Mysuru	7.00 pm	10.15 pm	Daily
12609	Chennai	Mysuru	8.00 pm	10.50 pm	Daily
16585	KSR Bengaluru	Mangaluru	8.25 pm	11.20 pm	Daily Except Friday
20664	MGR Chennai	Mysuru	9.30 pm	11.30 pm	Daily Except Thur Vande Bharat
22136	Renigunta	Mysuru	11.10 pm	1.35 am	Saturday
16209	Ajmer	Mysuru	11.50 pm	2.25 am	Tue & Sun

TOWARDS HASSAN, ARSIKERE, SHIVAMOGGA, DAVANGERE, HAVERI, HUBBALLI, DADAR, NEWDELHI & BACK

Train	From Station	To Station	Departure	Arrival	Days of Service
16206	Mysuru	Talguppa	6.00 am	1.25 pm	Daily
11036	Mysuru	Dadar	6.15 am	5.45 am (next day)	Sunday (Mysuru)
56266 (Exp)	Mysuru	Arsikere	6.30 am	10.25 am	Daily
16208	Mysuru	Yesvantpur	7.15 am	10.10 am (Hassan)	Daily
16225	Mysuru	Shivamogga	10.15 am	4.40 pm	Daily
16222	Mysuru	Talguppa	2.00 pm	11.00 pm	Daily
56268	Mysuru	Arsikere	5.45 pm	10.00 pm	Daily
12781	Mysuru	Hazrat Nizamuddin	7.30 pm (Fri)	6.45 pm (Sun)	Friday
17301	Mysuru	Belagavi	9.30 pm	9.00 am	Daily
16585	Mysuru	Murdeshwar	11.40 pm	12.55 am	Daily
17302	Belagavi	Mysuru	6.00 pm	5.55 am	Daily
06213	Arsikere	Mysuru	5.00 pm	9.25 am	Daily
16226	Shivamogga	Mysuru	11.15 am	5.05 pm	Daily
16207 (Exp)	Yesvantpur	Mysuru	4.45 pm (Hassan)	8.10 pm	Daily
56265	Arsikere	Mysuru	5.30 pm	9.15 pm	Daily
11035	Dadar	Mysuru	9.30 pm	10.00 pm (next day)	Thursday (Dadar)
16221	Talguppa	Mysuru	6.15 am	3.35 pm	Daily
16205	Talguppa	Mysuru	2.50 pm	10.30 pm	Daily
12782	Hazrat Nizamuddin	Mysuru	5.10 am (Mon)	2.20 am (Wed)	Monday
16586	Murdeshwar	Mysuru	2.10 pm	3.30 am	Daily

TOWARDS MYSURU TO CHAMARAJANAGAR AND BACK

Train	From Station	To Station	Departure	Arrival	Days of Service
56202	Mysuru	Chamarajanagar	5.00 am	6.35 am	Daily Passenger
16220	Tirupati	Chamarajanagar	7.30 am (Mys)	9.20 am	Daily
56210	Mysuru	Chamarajanagar	8.20 am	10.10 am	Daily Passenger
56206	Mysuru	Nanjangud	9.15 am	10.00 am	Daily
56204	Mysuru	Chamarajanagar	11.45 am	1.30 pm	Daily
56208	Mysuru	Chamarajanagar	3.45 pm	5.20 pm	Daily
56282	Mysuru	Chamarajanagar	6.40 pm	8.40 pm	Daily
56281	Chamarajanagar	Mysuru	7.15 pm	9.00 pm	Daily
56205	Nanjangud	Mysuru	10.25 pm	11.15 pm	Daily
56207	Chamarajanagar	Mysuru	10.40 pm	12.30 pm	Daily Passenger
16219	Chamarajanagar	Tirupati	3.30 pm	5.00 pm	Daily
56203	Chamarajanagar	Mysuru	5.30 pm	7.20 pm	Daily
56209	Chamarajanagar	Mysuru	8.50 pm	10.35 pm	Daily
56201	Chamarajanagar	Mysuru	9.45 pm	11.40 pm	DailyPassenger

Invited to Dasara

Mysuru Deputy Commissioner G. Lakshmikanth Reddy presenting a bouquet to District In-charge Minister Dr. H.C. Mahadevappa while extending the official invitation for Dasara, in Bengaluru this morning. Others seen are *(from left)* ***Secretary of Sri Chamundeshwari Temple Development Authority M.J. Roopa, City Police Commissioner Seema Latkar, Zilla Panchayat CEO S. Ukesh Kumar, SP N. Vishnuvardhana and Additional DC Dr. P. Shivaraju.***

Mysuru, Sept.4 (MTY&BS)- As *Nada Habba* Mysuru Dasara draws closer, the District Administration is on an invitation- spree, extending the official invite to various dignitaries including Chief Minister Siddaramaiah, Deputy Chief Minister D.K. Shivakumar, Home Minister Dr. G. Parameshwara and Mysuru District Incharge Minister Dr. H.C. Mahadevappa, today in Bengaluru.

International Booker Prize winner and Kannada writer Banu Mushtaq, who has been selected to inaugurate Dasara, was given the official invitation at her house in Hassan yesterday by the District Administration. Dasara will be inaugurated atop Chamundi Hill on Sept. 22.

Mysuru Deputy Commissioner G. Lakshmikanth Reddy, who led a delegation of officials belonging to Dasara Reception Committee, to Bengaluru this morning, called on Chief Minister Siddaramaiah at the latter's Home Office 'Krishna.' After extending the formal invite, a copy of Dasara Invitation containing the tentative schedule of Dasara events, was handed over to the CM.

Sources said, the CM advised the officials to ensure flawless arrangements, without giving room for any lapses.

The DC also apprised the CM of making a formal invite to writer Banu Mushtaq yesterday. While the various works including the patchworks, illumination of the city and other works have been taken up, in coordination with Dasara Sub-Committees.

Deputy CM D.K. Shivakumar and Home Minister Dr. G. Parameshwar were also invited at their office in Vidhana Soudha.

Dr. Parameshwar instructed the officers from Mysuru to ensure foolproof security arrangements for the annual festival.

Kannada and Culture Minister Shivaraj Tangadagi and other dignitaries are also expected to be given the official invite, later in the day.

Additional Deputy Commissioner Dr. P. Shivaraju, Zilla Panchayat (ZP) Chief Executive Officer (CEO) S. Ukesh Kumar, Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) Commissioner Shaikh Tanveer Asif, Deputy Commissioner (Revenue) J.S. Somashekar, City Police Commissioner Seema Latkar, Superintendent of Police (SP) N. Vishnuvardhana, DCP (CAR) A. Maruthi, District Manager of Maharshi Valmiki Scheduled Tribes Welfare Development Corporation Shivakumar and other officers were present.

Writer Banu Mushtaq thanks Kannadigas

Mysuru, Sept. 4 (MK&BS)-The District Administration officially invited International Booker Prize winner and Kannada writer Banu Mushtaq to inaugurate Mysuru Dasara at her house in Hassan town yesterday. The Dasara Reception Committee led by Deputy Commissioner G. Lakshmikanth Reddy, who is also the Dasara Special Officer, invited Banu Mushtaq, as per tradition, by honouring her with a silk shawl, Mysore Peta and memento of elephant, along with fruits.

Speaking to media persons, Reddy said, the State Government has selected Banu Mushtaq to inaugurate Dasara this year on Sept. 22 atop Chamundi Hill. Hence, the District Administration, has extended an official invitation to Banu Mushtaq. Apart from inaugurating Dasara, Banu Mushtaq was also invited to participate in several other programmes organised as part of Dasara.

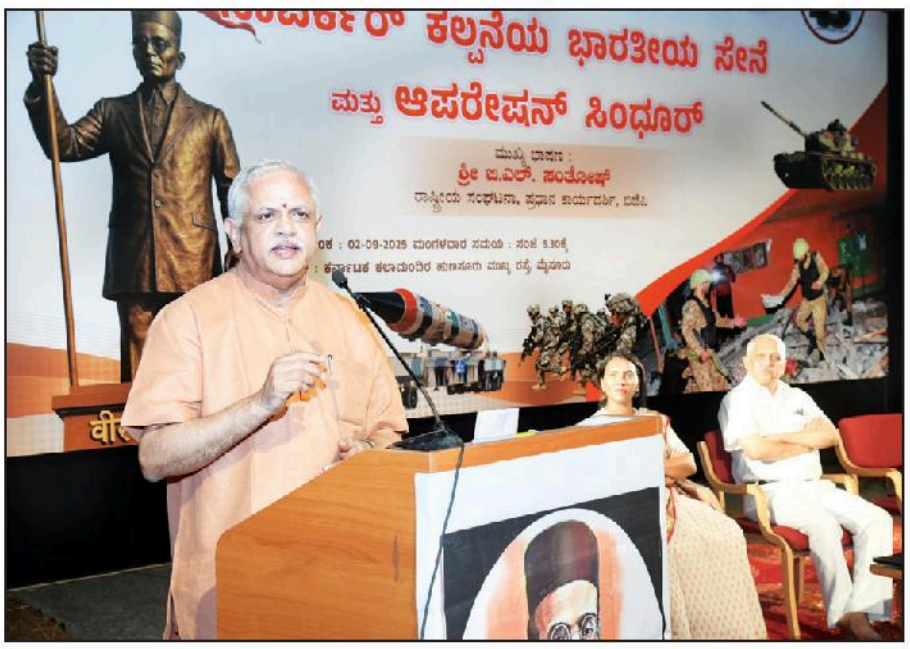
Briefing on Dasara preparations, Deputy Commissioner said, while Dasara begins on Sept.22, *Jumboo Savari* is on Oct. 2. The invitation of cultural events is being prepared while arrangements for other events are on.

I would like to express my gratitude to all Kannadigas, the Karnataka Government, the Chief Minister and the Mysuru District Administration for extending Dasara invitation. I will be leaving for a foreign tour in two days and will seek information about Dasara events upon returning from the tour. I would like to share the joy of being a part of the Nada Habba with the whole of Kannadigas."

— Banu Mushtaq

'Savarkar laid foundation for strong Armed Forces'

Savarkar's vision, Modi's policies behind success of Operation Sindoor, says B.L. Santosh



BJP National General Secretary (Organisation) B.L. Santosh delivering the keynote address at Kalamandira in city on Tuesday as Savarkar Pratishthana President Dr. S. Yashaswini and Dr. N. Chandrashekar of Aditya Adhikari Hospital look on. Picture right shows a section of the audience.

Mysuru, Sept. 4 (PM&BCT)- BJP National General Secretary (Organisation) B.L. Santosh credited the success of Operation Sindoor to the national defence policies envisioned by Veer Savarkar and implemented by Prime Minister Narendra Modi Government over past 11 years.

He was delivering the keynote address at a symposium titled "Indian Army in the Vision of Savarkar and Operation Sindoor," organised by the Savarkar Pratishthana, Mysuru, at Kalamandira on Tuesday.

Santosh highlighted that Savarkar's campaign inspired Hindu youths to join the Indian military, leading to the formation of regiments such as Maratha Regiment, Jat Regiment and Rajput Regiment, all of which continue to serve with distinction.

He expressed disappointment that the Congress party continues to criticise Savarkar despite his significant contributions to India's defence vision.

Addressing the controversy surrounding Savarkar's interactions with the British, Santosh stated that while Savarkar engaged with them, labelling him a "British agent" was unjust. He emphasised that Savarkar viewed World War II as an opportunity to encourage Hindu youths to participate in military activities, laying the foundation for a strong national defence.

Warnings on national security

Santosh recalled that in 1950, when India became a republic, Savarkar had written to Government warning that India's borders remained vulnerable and urging that the first duty of the Republic should be to strengthen its Army, Navy and Air Force.

In 1959, Savarkar wrote to Prime Minister Nehru, highlighting that India's Armed Forces lacked preparedness and strategic sharpness — warnings that history would later validate.

He stressed that Savarkar's recommendations helped shape India's military policies in its formative years, noting that without such foresight, regions like Srinagar and Hyderabad might not have remained part of India.

Savarkar had also advocated one to two years of military training for high school and college students to build a disciplined and defence-ready youth force, Santosh added.

On Pahalgam attack

Referring to the April 22 attack on tourists in Pahalgam, Santosh alleged that the attackers specifically targeted Hindus, claiming this information came directly from victims' families.

He said that acknowledging this truth requires courage — something Congress lacked then and continues to lack today. "This is a fact, not communalism," he stressed.

Indian soldiers later neutralised the three terrorists responsible for the Pahalgam attack near Srinagar. Santosh noted that many traders of other faiths were present but were unharmed, raising questions about the attackers' motives.

Responding to public outrage, Armed Forces launched Operation Sindoor on May 7, carrying out precise airstrikes on terrorist camps in Pakistan without crossing India's borders — a testament to India's evolving defence and intelligence capabilities over past 11 years, he said.

Earlier, students from Supreme Convent School performed a short play on Veer Savarkar, while music was presented by students of Rashtrothana School.

The event was presided over by Savarkar Pratishthana President Dr. S. Yashaswini, with Dr. N. Chandrashekar of Aditya Adhikari Hospital as chief guest. MLA T.S. Srivatsa, ex-MLA L. Nagendra and several BJP leaders and party workers attended the programme, which drew a capacity crowd at Kalamandira.

THE US OPEN

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TOMORROW'S MATCHES (SEPT. 5)

WOMEN'S SINGLES - SEMI-FINALS

1 Aryna Sabalenka Vs 4 Jessica Pegula	4.30 am
23 Naomi Osaka **Vs** 8 Amanda Anisimova	5.40 am

MEN'S DOUBLES - SEMI-FINALS

14 Michael Venus & Yuki Bhambri **Vs** 6 Joe Salisbury & Neal Skupski	1.30 am
James Tracy & Robert Cash **Vs** 5 Marcel Granollers & Horacio Zeballos	2.40 am

WOMEN'S DOUBLES - FINALS

1 Taylor Townsend & Kateřina Siniaková **Vs** 3 Erin Routliffe & Gabriela Dabrowski	9.30 pm

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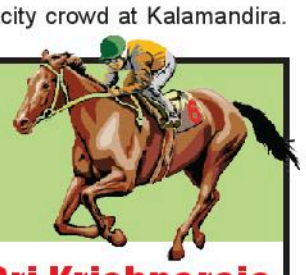
MYSORE RACES 2025



(By Our Racing Correspondent)

'African Gold' for H.H. Sri Krishnaraja Wadiyar Memorial Trophy

Mysuru, Sept. 4- Following are the selections for the 2nd Day of Mysore Monsoon Races to be held here on Friday (Sept. 5, 2025):

1.	2.00 PM	**THE VIRIJA PLATE** 1100 mts. - rated 00 to 25 [Mysore based horses] *1. NIMBLE SPIRIT 2. D GOLDEN CUP*
2.	2.30 PM	**THE PUNE PLATE** 1100 mts. - [3 years terms] *1. SPLENDID DREAM 2. MIDNIGHT BLUE*
3.	3.00 PM	**THE SOMANATHAPUR PLATE - DIV. - II** 1400 mts. - rated 20 to 45 *1. CARTER 2. POWER OF GOLD*
4.	3.30 PM	**THE J.H. FOLEY MEMORIAL TROPHY** 1600 mts. - rated 40 to 65 *1. ELFIN KNIGHT 2. AQUASTIC*
5.	4.00 PM	**THE H.H. SRI KRISHNA RAJA WADIYAR MEMORIAL TROPHY** 1400 mts. - [4 years terms] *1. AFRICAN GOLD 2. CHAMPIONS WAY*
6.	4.30 PM	**THE LAVASA PLATE** 1400 mts. - rated 60 and above *1. MAZAL TOV 2. DON CARLOS*
7.	5.00 PM	**THE SOMANATHAPUR PLATE - DIV. - I** 1400 mts. - rated 40 to 65 *1. CARAT LOVE 2. MONTERIO*

DAY'S BEST: *ELFIN KNIGHT*
DOUBLE: *1. NIMBLE SPIRIT 2. AFRICAN GOLD*
JACKPOT: *3, 4, 5, 6, 7* ***MINI JACKPOT:*** *4, 5, 6, 7*
I TREBLE: *2, 3, 4* ***II TREBLE:*** *5, 6, 7*
EXACTAS: *1 to 7* ***—Tipster PGC***

WORD OF THE DAY

Carp

Pronunciation: KAHRP (verb)
Meaning: To carp is to complain in an annoying way.
Origin: Though someone might hypothetically carp about the fish known as carp, the similarity between the words is wholly coincidental. Both entered the English language in the 15th century but from different sources. Like many terms for plants and animals adopted at that point in the language's history, the fish's name traces back to Late Latin, but the verb is of Scandinavian origin. It shares an ancestor with the Icelandic verb karpa, meaning "to dispute." We promise there's nothing fishy about that.
Example: "David Fincher and Brad Pitt are together again with the sequel to Once Upon a Time in Hollywood — written by Quentin Tarantino and directed by David Fincher. ... And while I hear people carping about the wig on Brad Pitt — to quote Caddyshack, 'you'll take what you get and like it' ..." — Sasha Stone, AwardsDaily.com, 29 July 2025.

THE ODD WORD

Awedde

To triumph over rage.

PHRASE OF THE DAY

Your guess is as good as mine

Meaning: The phrase 'Your guess is as good as mine' is used when one doesn't know the solution or answer to a problem instead of admitting "I don't know or have the solution or answer."
Origin: The origin of "Your guess is as good as mine" is not definitively known, but it likely emerged in early 20th century and was first recorded in print in Irene Baird's 1939 novel Waste Heritage. The phrase means that the speaker has no more knowledge about a topic than the person asking the question, emphasising equal uncertainty and limited information on both sides.
Example: I asked my wife, "How long will it take for the pie to bake?" and she answered, "Your guess is as good as mine."

QUOTE BOX

You are the bows from which your children as living arrows are sent forth.

— Khalil Gibran

RIDDLE THIS

Solve the rebus:

BEACH

Answer: Topless beach.

SUDOKU

					5		1	
				2	1		8	
1		8					4	
	2		3					5
5		6		8		9		1
4					9		7	
	6					7		8
	8		7	9				
	4		5					

Answer to previous puzzle

4	2	8	1	5	7	9	3	6
3	1	9	8	6	4	5	2	7
5	6	7	9	3	2	1	4	8
7	8	6	2	9	3	4	5	1
1	5	2	6	4	8	7	9	3
9	3	4	5	7	1	6	8	2
2	7	3	4	1	9	8	6	5
8	9	5	7	2	6	3	1	4
6	4	1	3	8	5	2	7	9

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Concept is Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

CROSS WORD

ACROSS:

1 To carry on a trade
4 Aboard ship
8 Camera type
11 Martial arts great Bruce ___
12 Small light boat
14 An expression of disgust or belittlement
15 Egg cells
16 African lake - "as any" anagram?
17 A climbing vine
18 Fungal disease
20 French composer
22 Flight Guidance Sys.
24 Bribe
25 Unruly child
28 Facial twitch
30 Sharp pain
34 Famous Hindi movie of days gone by - "An a" anagram?
35 Nabokov novel
36 Indonesia's earlier name
37 Deities
39 And not either?
40 In a tizzy
41 Rubber stamp
43 Stale air
45 Inexpensive
48 Deficiencies
52 Suffer
53 Bygone
57 ___ up : invigorate?
58 Debutante, in short
59 Continental quilt
60 Ireland's ___ Lingus
61 Operatic princess
62 Junkie
63 Secret agent ?

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER

C	S	K		E	P	I	C		H	A	R	D
H	A	I		P	A	C	A		I	G	N	I
I	T	E		O	R	E	L		D	E	S	I
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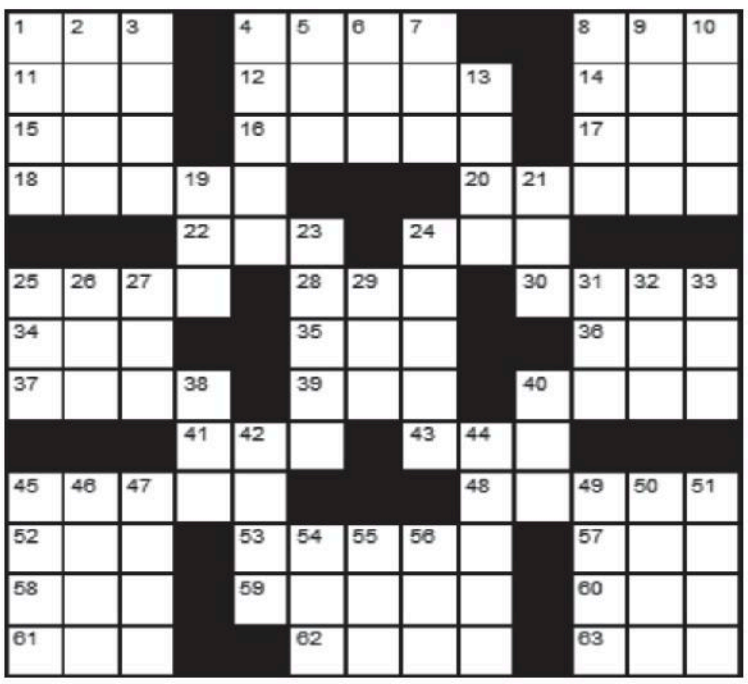
B	E	A	R		A	V	E	R		R	A	W
A	S	T	I		T	I	D	E		E	D	S

DOWN

1 Conspiracy
2 Son of Jacob and Leah
3 Bring forth lambs
4 It may develop when things don't seem to be going smoothly (1,4)
5 Firmament
6 Electronic Industries Assoc.
7 Auto Flight Sys.
8 Petty criminal
9 Wash or bathe
10 Welsh resort
13 Gambling game
19 Newt
21 Smartphone program
23 ___ out : be prominent?
24 Neck warmer
25 Purse or a satchel
26 Ex-P.M. Narsimha ___
27 In addition
29 Altar vow (1,2)
31 Director __ Lee
32 Modern prefix
33 Concert
38 Mineral spring
40 Chief of a Moslem sect
42 As similar as two peas in _ ___? (1,3)
44 Relating to a forearm bone
45 "I cad" maybe a judge
46 Sped - "hide" anagram?
47 Napoleon's isle
49 Accountants in the US in short
50 Retain or hold; maintain
51 Nimble
54 Bud's movie partner
55 Windows predecessor
56 Vane directions ?



CRYPTOQUIP

The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

XYGDG TDG SABF XOS OTFV EF OYNLY XS DNVG NA

XYNV OSDBI, GNXYGD EF SAG'V SOA NAIWVXDF

SD EF XYG VXWKNINXF SC SXYGDV.

TODAY'S CLUE: X EQUALS T

Yesterday's Cryptoquip: He who has an opinion of his own, but depends on the opinion and tastes of others is a slave.

SINGLE SCREEN THEATRES

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  Usiru (2025) (K) - 4 Shows
- **Gayathri Theatre** — **Ph: 2443568**
  Coolie (K) - 4 Shows
- **Woodlands Theatre** — **Ph: 2422871**
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- **Rajkamal Theatre** — **Ph: 2423554**
  Rippan Swamy (K) - 4 Shows
- **Padma Theatre** — **Ph: 2521923**
  Coolie (Ta) - 4 Shows
- **Balaji Theatre** — **Mob: 98863-25207**
  Coolie (H) - 3 Shows
- **Lido Theatre** — **Ph: 2420885**
  Vishnuvardhana (K) - 2 Shows; *Simharoopini (K)* - 2 Shows

DRC CINEMAS — Ph: 4240422, 4241800

Mahavata Narsimha (K-3D)	(S-1)	10 am, 1.15 pm
Coolie (Ta)	(S-1)	4 pm
Hridayapoorvam (Ma)	(S-1)	7.20 pm, 10.25 pm
Gandhi Mattu Notu (K)	(S-2)	10.30 am
Gowrishankara (K)	(S-2)	1.30 pm
Rippan Swamy (K)	(S-2)	4 pm
Odum Kuthira Chaadum Kuthira (Ma)	(S-2)	7 pm
Lokah - Chapter 1 Chandra (Ma)	(S-2)	10.10 pm
Param Sundari (H)	(S-3)	10.35 am, 4 pm, 7 pm, 9.55 pm
Andondittu Kaala (K)	(S-3)	1.25 pm
Vishnuvardhana (K)	(S-4)	10.10 am
Su From So (K)	(S-4)	1.15 pm, 4.10 pm, 7 pm, 9.50 pm

MYSURU VISION CINEMAS — Ph: 0821 - 2973519

Su From So (K)	(S-1)	10.30 am
	(S-2)	1.15 pm, 6.45 pm, 9.30 pm
Andondittu Kaala (K)	(S-1)	1.15 pm
Odum Kuthira Chhadum Kuthira (Ma)	(S-1)	3.35 pm, 9.30 pm
Lokah : Chapter 1 – Chandra (Ma)	(S-1)	6.30 pm
Param Sundari (H)	(S-2)	10.35 am
	(S-3)	4.10 pm, 6.50 pm, 9.30 pm
Rippan Swamy (K)	(S-2)	4 pm
Coolie (K)	(S-3)	12.55 pm; (S-4) 6.20 pm
Mahavatar Narasimha (K-3D)	(S-4)	10.15 am, 12.50 pm
Hridayapoorvam (Ma)	(S-4)	3.25 pm, 9.35 pm

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Coolie (K)	:	9.25 am, 6.50 pm
Coolie (Ta)	:	12.35 pm
Su From So (K)	:	9.45 am, 1.40 pm, 7.20 pm, 10.10 pm
Hridayapoorvam (Ma)	:	9.50 am, 4.10 pm, 10.30 pm
Lokah: Chapter 1 - Chandra (Ma)	:	10.10 am, 4 pm, 10.10 pm
Bring Her Back (E)	:	11.15 am
Andondittu Kaala (K)	:	12.40 pm
Odum Kuthira Chaadum Kuthira (Ma)	:	12.55 pm, 6.45 pm
Simharoopini (K)	:	1.15 pm
War 2 (H)	:	3.20 pm, 10.15 pm
Arjun Chakravarthy (Te)	:	3.55 pm
Mahavatar Narsimha (H-3D)	:	4.30 pm
Sundarakanda (Te)	:	7.05 pm
Rippan Swamy (K)	:	7.15 pm
Parineeta (H)	:	10 pm

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Lokah: Chapter 1 - Chandra (Ma)	:	10 am, 4.05 pm
Su From So (K)	:	10.25 am, 1.15 pm, 4.50 pm, 7.30 pm
Coolie (K)	:	10.30 am, 4.05 pm
Hridayapoorvam (Ma)	:	1 pm, 10 pm
Rippan Swamy (K)	:	1.55 pm
Gowrishankara (K)	:	5 pm
Mahavatar Narsimha (K-2D)	:	7.10 pm
Andondittu Kaala (K)	:	7.20 pm
War 2 (H)	:	9.50 pm, 10.20 pm

EVENTS TODAY (SEPT. 4)

- **Ramsons Kala Pratishtana:** 21st edition of Bombe Mane, No. 91, Main Road, Nazarbad, **up to 7 pm.**
- **Sahara Arts and Crafts:** Shopping Festival, Scouts & Guides Ground, **up to 9.30 pm.**
- **The Jewellery Show:** Jewellery expo and sale, Radisson Blu Plaza Hotel, **up to 10 pm.**
- **Sri Prasanna Vidya Ganapathi Mandali Charitable (SPVGMC) Trust, Mysuru and Kannada & Culture Department:** 64th Heritage Music Festival, Gamaka Vaachana Programme — 'Manucho-la Ragale' Kavya Vaachana by Vidu. Shubha Raghavendra and Vyakyana by Prof. Morabada Mallikarjun, **5.30 pm;** Vocal-Flute concert by Vid. Abhishek Raghuram and Vid. Shruti Sagar, accompanied by Vid. Sumesh Narayanan on mridanga and Vid. Vazhappally Krishnakumar on ghata, 8th Cross Ganesha Pandal, V.V. Mohalla, **6.45 pm.**

Vid. Abhishek Raghuram & Shruti Sagar

- **Institution of Engineers-India (IEI), Mysuru Local Centre:** Special lectures on 'Nalwadi Krishnaraja Wadiyar' by Bramara Bahaddur, former Professor of Sociology, Best Teacher Awardee, Maharani's College, Bengaluru, Karvara Government College - 35 years of unstinted services in Educational Field and Dr. MGR Urs, Karnataka Rajyotsava awardee, Karnataka Media Academy Awardee and former President, Chutuku Sahitya Parishat; Dr. R. Deepu, Chairman, IEI Mysuru, presides, S.P. Bhat Hall, IEI premises, JLB Road, **5.30 pm.**

EVENTS TOMORROW (SEPT. 5)

- **Ramsons Kala Pratishtana:** 21st edition of Bombe Mane, No. 91, Main Road, Nazarbad, **10 am to 7 pm.**
- **The Jewellery Show:** Inauguration of 3-day jewellery expo and sale, Radisson Blu Plaza Hotel, **10 am to 10 pm.**
- **Karnataka Sugama Sangeetha Parishat, Mysuru Unit:** Bhavageete Singing Competition, Kannada & Culture Joint Director V.N. Mallikarjunaswamy inaugurates, Journalist Amshi Prasanna Kumar chief guest, Karnataka Sugama Sangeetha Parishat Mysuru Unit President Dr. Nagaraj V. Bairy presides, Sri Ananteshwara Bhavana, CA-13, 2nd Phase, KHB Colony, Hootagalli, **10 am.**
- **Sahara Arts and Crafts:** Shopping Festival, Scouts & Guides Ground, **10.30 am to 9.30 pm.**
- **Bheema 'Bala' Balaga:** 162nd birth anniversary of Mahatma Ayyankali, who fought against caste-based oppression and social inequality, Dr. Chandramouli, Professor and Head, DoS in Social Work, University of Mysore (UoM), will talk about Mahatma Ayyankali, MLA A.R. Krishnamurthy, former Minister H.K. Kumaraswamy and former MLA Y. Sampangi will be present, Institution of Engineers-India (IEI), JLB Road, **4 pm.**
- **Sri Prasanna Vidya Ganapathi Mandali Charitable (SPVGMC) Trust, Mysuru and Kannada and Culture Department:** 64th Heritage Music Festival, Gamaka Vaachana Programme — 'Kalidasana Meghadhoota' Kavya Vaachana by Vidu. Dharitri Ananda Rao and Vyakyana by Vid. T.N. Prabhakar, **5.30 pm;** Veena concert by Vid. Ramana Balachandhran, accompanied by Vid. Sumesh Narayanan on mridanga and Pt. Ishaan Ghosh on tabla, 8th Cross Ganesha Pandal, V.V. Mohalla, **6.45 pm.**

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Mahavatar Narsimha (K)	:	10.50 am, 4.25 pm
War 2 (H)	:	12.40 pm
Odum Kuthira Chaadum Kuthira (Ma)	:	4.05 pm
Andondittu Kaala (K)	:	4.25 pm
Lokah: Chapter 1 - Chandra (Ma)	:	6.55 pm
Hridayapoorvam (Ma)	:	10 pm
Coolie (Ta)	:	10.10 pm

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Hridayapoorvam (Ma)	:	10.20 am, 3.15 pm
Gowrishankara (K)	:	11.30 am
Mahavatar Narsimha (K)	:	12.30 pm, 6.20 pm
Vishnuvardhana (K)	:	1.25 pm
Usiru (K)	:	2 pm
Su From So (K)	:	4.35 pm
Balya (K)	:	4.50 pm
Gandi Mattu Notu (K)	:	7.20 pm
Lokah: Chapter 1 - Chandra (Ma)	:	7.25 pm
Muruga S/O Kaanunu (K)	:	10 pm
Odum Kuthira Chaadum Kuthira (Ma)	:	10.30 pm

NOTE: Movie timings published here are subject to sudden change by the theatre managements. The films are also liable to be changed in multiplexes if there is no minimum audience of 15.

Moonlight Music

Vidu. Aditi Prahalad

Mysuru, Sept. 4- Vidu. Aditi B. Prahalad will present a vocal concert at Suttur Mutt, foot of Chamundi Hill in city on Sept. 7 at 6 pm as part of the Mutt's monthly Moonlight Music-283 programme. After initial training from Vid. B.A. Kamalkumar, Aditi now trains under Vid. A.S. Murali and Vid. H.S. Sudheendra.

She will be accompanied by Vidu. C.V. Shruthi on violin, Vid. G.S. Ramanujam on mridanga and Vid. V.S. Ramesh on morching. Suttur Seer Sri Shivarathri Deshikendra Swamiji will grace the occasion.

Export Management Training from Sept. 15

Mysuru, Sept. 4- Visvesvaraya Trade Promotion Centre (VTPC), Bengaluru, in association with District Industries Centre (DIC), Mysuru, will be conducting a six-day Export Management Training Programme for the benefit of Industrialists, Traders and Prospective Exporters from Sept. 15 to 20 at The President Hotel in city.

The above training programme will cover all the salient features of Export Trade — International Business, Export-Import Policy (Foreign Trade Policy), Export Costing & Pricing, Demand, Management and Market in Export Business, Customs & Central Excise Formalities, Roles of Export Promotion Councils, Export Incentives offered by the State and Central Governments for Promotion of Exports and other such entities.

Interested may register their names with the Deputy Director, VTPC Export Information Centre in Mysuru. For details, contact Mob: 94818-15035 or e-mail: *vtpcmysore@gmail.com*

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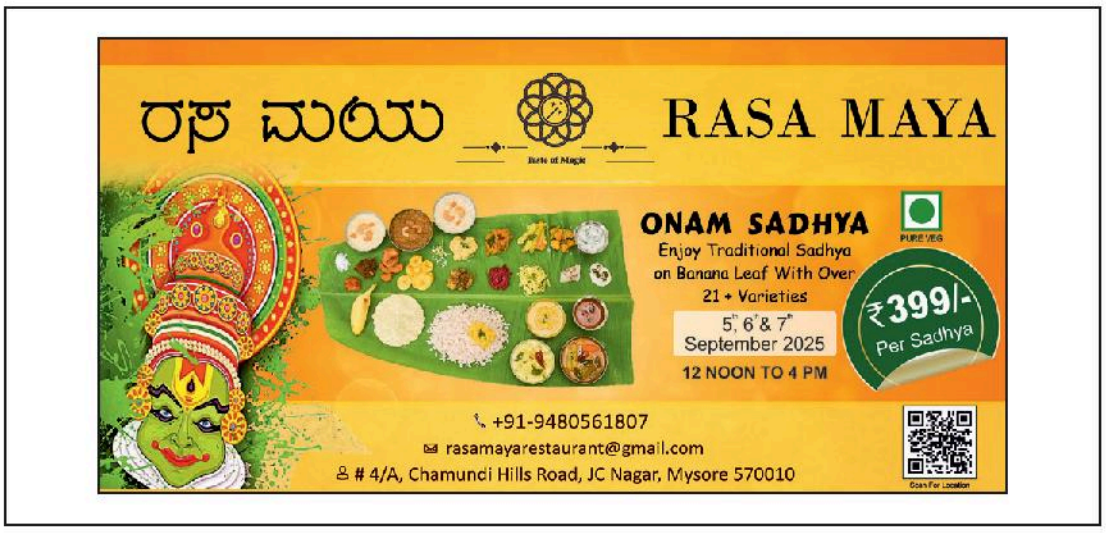
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ANNUAL GENERAL BODY MEETING INVITATION TO SHARE HOLDERS

Notice is hereby given to the Shareholders of the Bank that the **110th Annual General Body Meeting** of the Bank will be held **on Sunday, 07th September 2025 at 10.30 A.M,** at Head Office, situated at New Sayyaji Rao Road, Mysore under the Chairmanship of **Janab. K.C. Showkath Pasha,** President of the Bank.

NOTE :

1) Annual General Body Meeting Notice has been dispatched through post to all the Shareholders of the Bank along with Annual Report **2024-2025.**
2) Shareholders who have not yet received the said notice are requested to treat this notice as personal Invitation and attend the Annual General Body Meeting.
3) All the Shareholders attending the Annual General Body Meeting are requested to bring their Share Pass Book for Identification.

By Order of the Board of Management,
Sd/- Shaik Ibrahim
I/C Chief Executive Officer

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